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Date Mailed: 02/05/2002

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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Applicants:

Fernandez et al.

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Application No.:

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed February 5, 2002, enclosed are:

- One (1) copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed February 5, 2002 (1 page); 1.
- 2. Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time;
- Check No. 504407 in the amount of \$870.00 and Check No. 508153 in the amount of \$110.00; and 3.
- 4. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, May 6, 2002, in an envelope addressed to:

Box MISSING PARTS, Commissioner for Patents, Washington,

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Cecilia Tobin

May 6, 2002 (Date)

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Applicants claim LARGE ENTITY status in the above-identified application.

The filing fee has been calculated as follows.

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	1			·	Small Entity	Large Entity		Small Entity		LARGE Entity		
Total Claims	1 -20	=	0	х	\$09	\$18	=	\$.00	\$.00	
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Enclosed is Check No. 504407 in the amount of \$870.00 and Check No. 508153 in the amount of \$110.00; which consists of \$740.00 for the filing fee and \$130.00 for the surcharge fee; and \$110.00 for the One (1) Month Extension of Time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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